Dear Fellow Citizens:

How much longer shall we, the colored people of Baltimore, stand for the gross injustices which are daily being forced upon us?

There is a State appropriation of over one million dollars yearly to the University of Maryland, while Morgan College gets a pitiful $26,000. At Cheltenham, the State Reform School, our colored boys are beaten, shot and hired out like slaves. We have no State Sanatorium for the Feebleminded and Insane. And we suffer from many other injustices.

The trouble is that in the three hundred years history of Maryland we have had no colored representative to plead our cause in the Maryland Legislature. We can correct this evil by voting for a representative of our own race. I am the only colored candidate for the Legislature in the Fifth District of which you are a resident.

If you have not registered, or did not register in the 1933 General Registration, please register at

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on TUESDAY, October 8th, from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m.

This will enable you to vote in the general election Tuesday, November 6th, from 5 a.m. to 5 p.m.

I am urging you to support me with your vote and I assure you that I shall at all times prove worthy of your trust.

Yours for JUSTICE,

Clarence M. Mitchell

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